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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

~~YOSHIO UCHIKATA~~

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~~For: PRINTING APPARATUS AND  
CARRIAGE SCAN DRIVING  
METHOD~~

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Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT

Sir:

The present Amendment has been prepared in accordance with the Revised Format established by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, as permitted in the Pre-OG Notice entitled "Amendments in a Revised Format Now Permitted," a copy of which is attached.

In response to the Office Action dated December 31, 2002, Applicant respectfully requests that the above-identified application be amended as follows:

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